

FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION

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July 22, 2009

Glen Forsch REDACTED

> RE: Warning Letter FPPC No. 09/0139; Friends of Glen Forsch I.D. # 1269762

Period Covered in the Audit: January 1, 2004 through December 31, 2006

Dear Mr. Forsch:

The Fair Political Practices Commission (the Commission) enforces the provisions of the Political Reform Act¹. The results of the audit of the Friends of Glen Forsch, mandated by the California Government Code, have been referred to the Enforcement Division. A copy of that audit report is enclosed for your information.

You will note the report describes that expenses were not accrued in the proper periods, a violation of Section 84211, subdivision (k) and that pre-election statements were not filed in electronic format with the Secretary of State, a violation of Section 84605, subdivision (a).

Please note:

 Section 84211 requires that each campaign statement contain all information regarding expenditures made during the reporting period.

¹ The Political Reform Act is contained in Government Code Sections 81000 through 91014. All statutory references are to the Government Code, unless otherwise indicated. The regulations of the Fair Political Practices Commission are contained in Sections 18110 through 18997 of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations. All regulatory references are to Title 2, Division 6 of the California Code of Regulations, unless otherwise indicated.

2. Section 84605 requires that campaign statements be filed electronically with the Secretary of State by any candidate, who is required, pursuant to Chapter 4 (commencing with Section 84100), to file statements, reports, or other documents in connection with a state elective office, provided that the total cumulative reportable amount of contributions received, expenditures made, loans made, or loans received is fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) or more.

We have determined that enforcement action is not warranted at this time. However, this letter serves as a written warning. The information in this matter will be retained and considered should action become necessary based on future conduct. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act in the future may result in an enforcement action against you, including monetary penalties of up to \$5,000 for each violation.

The Commission publishes forms and manuals to facilitate compliance with the provisions of the Act. If you need forms or a manual, or guidance regarding your obligations, please call the Commission's Technical Assistance Division at 1-866-275-3772. Please also visit our website at www.fppc.ca.gov.

If you have any disagreement with the findings in the audit report or any questions concerning your reporting requirements, please notify this office in writing within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter.

Sincerely,

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Chief of Investigator Enforcement Division

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